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John Barleycorn will soon be buried and Aqua Pura will attend the funeral.

Germany has formed the habit of strife. If she cannot have war she will have riots.

France, England and the United States will speak in firm and equal voices at the peace conference.

All those owing me will PLEASE come forward and settle as I need the money. Mrs. Rella Francis.

Full stomachs and settled government evidently go together—else why food to prevent Bolshevism?

Prime 36.62 per cent protein Cotton Seed Meal. Hudson, Hughes and Farnau.

If you are tired, thin and thirty, be patient and have courage. You may be "fair, fat and forty" some day.

FOR SALE:—Three Hereford bull calves. Phone 374-R.

J. A. Owens, Crab Orchard, Ky. Route No. 2.

Had you too forgotten the enormous extent of Russia until you looked it up on the map day before yesterday?

FOUND:—On the streets last Monday, a small wrist watch. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

The National Drill for the people at home these last two years has been—Pocketbook. Extract—Dollars. Pay—Taxes.

General Foch has deserved well of the world. If he has a fancy for the Rhine or any other river, he ought to have it.

Wanted—Men accustomed to repairing, to re-make one world in bad condition. Quick and skillful workers required.

America can now gratify to the utmost her love for parades. There are plenty of fifes and drums and khaki at hand.

Both parties are on the lookout for good presidential timber. It must be good in order eventually to fit well in a cabinet.

The dries are satisfied, the wets are dissatisfied. But how about the class of our citizens who are wetter than dry and dryer than wet—how do they take it?

The boys returning home are claiming an affectionate welcome from their families, and they are also claiming plenty apple pie and chocolate cake.

It evidently is the opinion of the Senate that James Monroe had better come back and look after his doctrine, which appears to be in some danger of collapse.

Rev. Cox of Lexington, will fill the pulpit Sunday Feb. 2nd, at the New Antioch Church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

The High Cost of Living has neither been an invited nor a welcome visitor. When it makes its bow of farewell we shall all be ready to speed the parting guest.

Dr. Liebknecht's death causes us to reflect on the constant hazard attending the life of a revolutionist. The only thing which offsets it is the fact that such a life does not contain a dull moment.

The question whether the American girl or the French girl is more delightful continues to be argued, pro and con. Why not admit that each is the sweetest girl in the world and let go at that.

The government is requesting us to figure up our 1918 income, so that there will be no delay in turning in our income tax schedules at the proper time. It is also delicately hinting at the probability of a Victory Liberty Loan in the spring.

In securing the "dry" camel the nation is making an interesting addition to its menagerie. It already possessed the Democratic donkey and the G. O. P. elephant, and now only needs a box of monkeys to complete its collection. Perhaps the I. W. W.'s will favor.

Conservation of dress material was urged upon women and they adopted narrow skirts. Now the railroads are finding fault because, owing to the narrow skirts, the trains are delayed an average of seventeen additional seconds at each stopping place. What is to be done? Will the Women of America set in a breadth or must the timetables continue to suffer?

EVERY MEMBER CANVASS To Be Taken Next Sunday Afternoon. All Members Are Asked To Remain At Home.

The men of the Christian church will go out Sunday afternoon to take its annual Every Member Canvass.

Fifty men have been selected to go out in teams of two to call upon every member of the congregation.

The canvass will start from the church at 1:30 P. M. and continue until completed.

It will be a breach of christian courtesy if you are not at home to receive the team who calls to see you.

The men who comprise the teams will be served dinner at the church immediately after the morning service. Therefore, the teams are requested to come prepared not to go home for dinner.

The sermon subject Sunday morning will be "Looking Backward and Looking Forward".

Important Information Wanted At Once.

To complete the records of men who gave their lives in the cause of freedom, from this county, all persons who are in possession of definite information regarding the time, place and outfit of any such of Garrard County's heroes, are asked to communicate this information at once to this office or the Local Board, Room 5, Court House, Lancaster, Ky. This includes men who died at home, or abroad either in the Army, Navy or Marines. Please report this information promptly so that a permanent record of Garrard's heroic dead can be compiled without delay.

Sales of The Thomas Realty Agency.

The D. A. Thomas Realty Agency reports the following January sales: 31 acres for John Wynn to A. D. Lee; House and lot in Bryantville for A. D. Lee. The "Stone" place on Maple Avenue for J. T. Henry to John A. Conn, Jr., for \$4225. H. V. Bastin's Richmond street property to Robert Long.

Mr. Thomas advises us he has some farming lands at right prices for immediate possession.

Died With Flu.

On the way to the grave two legal papers met, by the way of introduction, one said "I am a mortgage deed, and I shall have most of his property" by no means said the other. "I am an Insurance Policy, and I was born to outwit just such fellows as you. I am for the family every time."

People Sympathize, while Gaines, the Insurance Man, pays the CASH. (adv)

Marries Countess.

News has been received here of the marriage of Capt. John Menefee, formerly of Stanford, and a French Countess. He was before he volunteered into the service of the United States, an attorney at Stanford and a graduate of State College. He has been in France with the 84th Division, under General Harry Hale. He was an instructor in bayonet work at Camp Taylor and was considered an efficient officer.

Dawes Case Affirmed.

The case of Jenkins against Dawes, involving one of the best farms in Garrard county and which has been in the courts for a number of years, has finally been closed, the Court of Appeals having affirmed the decisions of the lower courts in favor of the defendant Dawes. The Jenkins heirs were represented by Judge L. L. Walker, while J. E. Robinson espoused the cause of the defendants.

Bank Stock For Sale.

As executor of the estate of Mrs. Anne W. Robinson, I will at eleven o'clock, on Monday, February 24th, 1919 at the Court House steps, in Lancaster, Ky., sell publicly, ten shares of stock of the Citizens National Bank of Lancaster and four shares of stock of the Garrard Bank and Trust Co. Also three Liberty Bonds.

SALEM WALLACE, Executor. Capt. Am Bourne, Auctioneer.

Soldier Without Job Need Not Leave Army.

To solve the problem of unemployed discharged soldiers, the War Department has ordered that no man be discharged from the army against his desire until such time as he can obtain employment in civil life.

BIG HEMP DEAL 800,000 Pounds Of The 1917 Pool, Sold To Spears and Son Last Monday.

One of the biggest deals in the county outside of a real estate deal, was put through last Monday, when Mr. Henry Cox, local agent for Spears and Son, of Paris, bought the entire pool crop of hemp consisting of about 800,000 pounds. The price paid is understood to have been \$14. for all the number one grade, \$12.00 for the number two grade and \$7.00 for the tow. The price paid represents about \$100,000 and while it looks good for the sellers, yet it is said that it is not as much as they could have realized had they taken the market price one year ago. The hemp since that time has been stored in the warehouses of Mr. F. B. Marks-bury near the depot, and together with the insurance, taxes and other expenses, has cut considerably into their profits.

The hemp in this pool represented about eight hundred acres and was owned by W. B. Burton, W. R. Cook, J. I. Hamilton, G. A. Bowling and Rankin Brothers, all of this county. Mr. W. S. Kiser, of Paris, who was also instrumental in putting the deal through, informs the writer that a very short crop of hemp will be sown in Garrard county this year, owing partially to the low price and the scarcity of labor. He places the acreage in the county at fifty and says something like 800 acres were sown in 1918, while in 1917 there was about 3,000 acres in Garrard county. This is quite a falling off and what is to be done with the seed this year is also a question that is agitating the farmers to know what to do. Seed had been selling for as much as \$5.00 a bushel but at present there is no demand in the county at all.

The price for the 1918 crop has not been fixed, but Mr. Kiser thinks it will start off at about \$11.50 a hundred for number one fiber.

ROBBERS GETTING BOLD Many Have Occurred In Lancaster During Last Few Months.

During the past few months several robberies have been reported throughout different parts of the city and as yet none of the guilty parties have been apprehended. One that startled the neighborhood occurred last Saturday evening about six o'clock, Mrs. H. J. Tinsley being the victim of a purse snatcher. Just at that hour as she was entering her front gate a young negro slipped up from behind and snatched her purse which she carried on her arm. She screamed and the young culprit ran hurriedly by the office of Hudson, Hughes and Farnau and in Campbell street to the "chute" and disappeared. Several saw the negro boy running but paid no attention to it. A few months ago little Sausley Hughes had a five dollar bill snatched from his hands as he was on his way home about six o'clock one evening. This boy tallies with the boy that robbed Mrs. Tinsley.

The Furitan was entered a few weeks ago and some money and about twenty-five dollars worth of cigarettes taken. No clue. During the fall the pool room was robbed, the safe opened and it is said about \$150 was taken from it. No clue.

But the robbery last Monday at the depot caps the climax. Mr. G. M. Patterson was counting his money preparing to take it to the bank, when the train pulled in and he left the money on the table together with several checks amounting to over a hundred dollars, and when he returned a checks were gone. In this haul the thief got about \$30 in money beside few minutes later, the money and the checks. No clue.

Baptist Church.

C. D. Strother, who was recently called as pastor of the Lancaster Baptist Church, will preach at both services Sunday February 2nd.

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., Prof. P. H. Hopkins, superintendent. Preaching 11 A. M. Subject the "Bruised Reed and the Smoking Flax". Evening theme—"One Thing Lacking".

A big Welcome awaits all at the Baptist Church.

There is not a chance for a drop in farm products. Mr. Wilson has asked Congress to appropriate One Hundred Million Dollars to help feed Europe and they will not be self-sustaining for years.

GOOD CROWD But Not Much Business Last Monday.

Last County Court Day brought a good size crowd to town but there was very little business transacted during the day. The stock pens were well filled with cattle and all were sold at prices ranging from 9 to 12 1-2 cents a pound.

During the day several mules changed hands and among the sales were the following: W. V. Gastineau sold a young team of mare mules for \$450.00; Will Denny sold Monte Fox a nice one for \$275; and Richard Hall a team of light ones to Millard Ham for \$250; Wil Rogers bought a three year old mare mule of Robert Shearer for \$170, V. A. Lear sold to J. D. Whitehead a team of 7 year old mules for \$635, and a five year old team for \$500.

R. E. Henry sold a nice three year old horse to J. W. Elmore price \$180, Will Cornett bought a walking horse of Lem Teater for \$180; Joe Aldridge sold a bunch of heifers to Les Harbor for \$30 a head.

Two Red Cross Nurses End Life.

Misses Gladys and Dorothy Cromwell, sisters, of New York, leaped from the rail of the French steamer La Lorraine, as the steamer was in the Caronne river bound for New York last week. Both were drowned. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

Both the young women belonged to the American Red Cross and were returning home. A letter found in their stateroom and addressed to the commanding officer of their Red Cross unit, informed him of their intention "to end it all".

The Misses Cromwell are said to have belonged to a prominent New York family. They had spent much time at the front and friends said they had complained of being tired physically and mentally.

Great Enterprise Shown In Covering Peace Conference.

In accordance with its regular policy, that the best is none too good for its readers, The Louisville Herald, with its usual enterprise, has secured what is probably the most complete news service possible in covering the Peace Conference.

In addition to the Associated Press with its army of correspondents, The Herald has obtained the services of such writers as Guglielmo Ferraro, the famous Italian historian; Albert Thomas, former member of the French cabinet, and Naboth Hedin, Paris correspondent of the Brooklyn Eagle, and five other noted writers, including Senator Gore, of Oklahoma. This means the covering of the Peace Conference from every possible angle of interest to Herald readers.

But the greatest stroke of all is the acquisition of the exclusive news service for Kentucky of the London Daily Express. This great newspaper has for years been the most enterprising of London journals, and its cables will bring to Herald readers the most distinctive and exclusive foreign news printed in the United States.

Bank Stock Sells.

The Citizens National Bank stock belonging to the estate of the late C. A. Arnold sold publicly for \$227 a share. Mr. Clarence Tate of Stanford sold twenty shares of the same stock, which was in his mothers name for \$225 a share. The stock was purchased by J. W. Sweeney, J. J. Walker and R. L. Walker. The prices at which this stock sold speaks well for this splendid bank, which has a surplus equal to its capital stock and about ten thousand dollars of undivided profits. It paid its stockholders 12 per cent on its capital stock during 1918.

Big Land Sale.

Swinebroad, the "Sale Wizard", has another big sale to his credit, when he sold this week 180 acres of what is known as the Curt Robinson farm to John Hicks at \$212.50 per acre. Mr. Hicks looked at several farms in other counties and we are glad that he decided to stay in good old Garrard.

CREATORE OPERA Company Given High Praise By Critics In The East.

If the repetition of success augurs well for continuous success then the audience which will have the good fortune of hearing "Rigolette" given by the Creatore Grand Opera Company at the Lexington Opera House on Tuesday, Feb. 4th, will surely receive a splendid musical gift.

The Creatore forces opened their season in Brooklyn and it was on this occasion that New York's most severe critic paid them the following tribute:

"The Creatore Opera Company opened with Rigolette and offered the most delightful surprise. In this great spectacular and exacting opera it proved to be an organization far above the level of the average Italian Opera companies which tour the country with occasional minor appearances in New York theatres."

"Indeed but for the lack of sensationally advertised stars it proved a fair match for the Chicago Opera Company, with which Campanini crowded Lexington Avenue Opera house last season. It raises wonder how any management can afford to give operatic performances of such all around excellence at theatrical prices."

As if the critical critics of Boston, by the way the most high-browish musical city in the United States, were not satisfied with the Brooklyn tribute, here is one from "Bean Centra" who goes even one better:

"Enthusiasm was on tap at the Boston Opera House when the Creatore Grand Opera Company opened a fortnight's season with "Aida". The enthusiasm became more and more marked as the opera progressed until at the close of the big acts there were curtain calls for both principals and conductor almost without count."

And so the song of praise continues to come from all over the land where the Creatore Grand Opera Company has done its bit in behalf of musical culture.

It seems as if there were no chance left even for the worst skeptic to doubt even for a moment that there is a genuine musical treat coming to Lexington with the Creatore Grand Opera Company. (adv)

Mat Cohen Still Looking After Farmers Interests

Mat Cohen, who has been making a great record on behalf of the farmers of Kentucky during his term as Commissioner of Agriculture, has taken another step looking to the eradication of communicable disease in live stock. Commissioner Cohen is just back from Washington where he urged a federal appropriation to be used in the control and eradication of communicable diseases in live stock, the money to be used co-operatively with the states. The last session of the General Assembly appropriated \$28,190 for this purpose and if the federal government makes the appropriation it will match Kentucky dollar for dollar. In fact, for every man Kentucky puts into the field, the federal government will put up a man.

Commissioner Cohen believes that the eradication of communicable diseases in live stock will, in a large measure, help to answer the demand for more meat. Since Commissioner Cohen has been on the alert looking after the interests of the farmers and this last step taken by him will not only aid the farmers, but will in a measure help to decrease the cost of meat by increasing the supply.

GERWICK.

A telegram reached here Sunday morning announcing the death of Mrs. Beula Ray Gerwick, a daughter of Albert and Annie Huffman of this county.

She was twice married, the first time to Luther Ray, who died, leaving her a widow with three small children, two of whom died in infancy.

Later she was married to Charlie Gerwick of Clinton, Illinois. To this union were born three children all of whom are real small.

She united with the Baptist church early in life and has ever lived up to her confession. She was a kind neighbor and loved by all who knew her.

She leaves one sister, Mrs. T. L. Broadbush by whom she will be sadly missed and ten brothers, Ben, Price, Scott, Taylor, Andrew and Carl of this place, Everett of Clinton Ill., Oscar of Tulare California, and Grover and Lee, who are "Somewhere in France".

HILL.

Mrs. Rolinda Hill, relict of the late S. A. Hill passed away at her home in Buckeye last Thursday evening, death being due to the infirmities of age, she being 82 years old at the time of her death.

Strange to relate she was the remaining child of a family of four, her three brothers, Nathan, Milton and Tom, having died several years ago and all reached the age of 82 years.

Mrs. Hill was a life long member of the Buckeye Baptist church and was a christian woman in every sense that the word implies. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Lizzie Walker and Messrs J. W. and T. O. Hill, all of this county.

After appropriate services the remains of this dear good woman were laid to rest in the Lancaster cemetery last Friday afternoon.

ARNOLD

The sad death of their infant daughter, Claudyne Hagan, was a severe shock to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Arnold, who live near Bryantville. After only a short illness of pneumonia following influenza, the spirit of the dear little child took its flight last Monday morning at one o'clock. The parents are both stricken with influenza which makes the affliction doubly sad in the loss of their child. Mrs. Arnold bore her marriage, was Miss Ella Mae Hagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hagan of this city.

The remains were interred in the Lancaster cemetery last Tuesday morning after appropriate services at the grave conducted by Rev. C. S. Conant assisted by Rev. Palmer of this city.

The sympathy of the community go out to the parents and relatives in their sad loss.

DOTY.

Mr. John G. Doty, aged 45 years, died at his home near Marksburg this morning at one o'clock after an illness of only a few days.

He contracted influenza which developed into pneumonia in the very acute form and his death had been expected for two or three days.

He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Miss Mary Doores, of this city. He also leaves eight children, several of whom are sick at this time and the youngest not expected to live.

Mr. Doty was a good citizen, a son of the late Capt. John Doty and has lived in the county all his life.

The widow and children have the deepest sympathy of the community in their great affliction. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock at the Lancaster cemetery where the interment will take place.

SANDERS.

The passing of Mr. James M. Sanders removes from our county one of the oldest and its most respected citizens. His death occurred at his home on the Poor Ridge pike last Monday night. Had he lived until next November he would have been 95 years old. He fully realizes that his days on earth were more than he should have expected and often spoke to his relatives and friends of the approaching end, having lived far beyond the time allotted to man.

He had lived in Garrard county practically all his life and was known to most of her citizens. He is survived by his wife and two children, Mr. Jesse Sanders of this county, and Mrs. Frank Pierce of Louisville, all of whom were at his bedside when the end came.

His surviving children are by a former marriage, he having been married three times during his life.

He was a devout member of the Christian church and upheld its teachings in his every day life.

Services were conducted at the grave yesterday at eleven o'clock and interment took place immediately afterward in the Lancaster cemetery. The sympathy of the community go out to the family and friends of this good man, whose life was long and well spent.

New Black Smith Shop.

Having rented the blacksmith shop of Frank Estes on Crab Orchard pike, I am now ready to do all kinds of repair work. Horse shoeing a specialty. A call will be appreciated. 1-23-24-pd. A. H. Vanhuss.

"Flu" Preventative.

Sterizol is one of the best anti-septics and germicides on the market. Numerous testimonials can be gotten from those who have used it in this community. Sold by 1-23-24-pd. Mrs. E. P. Brown.